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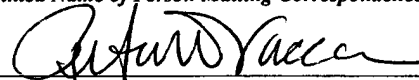
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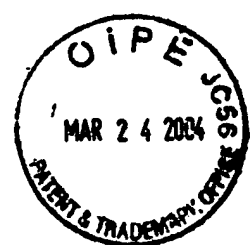
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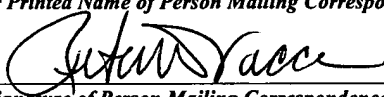
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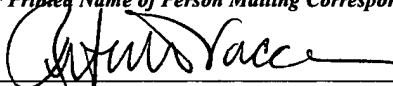
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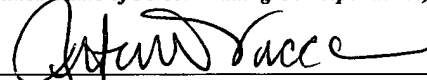
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**U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

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		5,507,804	04/16/96	Llanos, Gerard	623	11	11/16/94
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